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Session 124 - (2021-2022)

H 3773 General Bill, By West, G.M. Smith, Weeks, White, Hill, Jefferson and Anderson Similar (S 0079)

Summary: Fitness to stand trial

A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 44-23-10, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO DEFINITIONS APPLICABLE TO BOTH MENTALLY ILL PERSONS AND PERSONS WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY, SO AS TO ADD A DEFINITION FOR "RESTORATION TREATMENT"; AND TO AMEND SECTION 44-23-430, RELATING TO HEARINGS ON A PERSON'S FITNESS TO STAND TRIAL, SO AS TO EXTEND THE LENGTH OF TIME CERTAIN PERSONS UNFIT TO STAND TRIAL MAY BE HOSPITALIZED FOR RESTORATION TO ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY DAYS, TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH TO PROVIDE RESTORATION TREATMENT IN DETENTION CENTERS AND ON AN OUTPATIENT BASIS IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

| 01/28/21 | House | Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 33) |
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| 01/28/21 | House | Referred to Committee on Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs (House Journal-page 33) |
| 04/15/21 | House | Committee report: Favorable Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs (House Journal-page |
| | | 14) |
| 04/20/21 | House | Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Hill, Jefferson, Anderson |
| 04/20/21 | House | Read second time (House Journal-page 12) |
| 04/20/21 | House | Roll call Yeas-113 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 13) |
| 04/21/21 | House | Read third time and sent to Senate (House Journal-page 5) |
| 04/21/21 | Senate | Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 4) |
| 04/21/21 | Senate | Referred to Committee on Medical Affairs (Senate Journal-page 4) |